

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
 SAINI ET AL.

Serial No.: **10/736,339**

Filed: **DECEMBER 15, 2003**

Title: **"ON-THE FLY COATING OF ACID-
 RELEASING DEGRADABLE MATERIAL
 ONTO A PARTICULATE"**

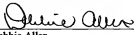
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
DATED JUNE 15, 2007**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 15, 2007 (the "Office Action"),
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that
 beings on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.
- **Summary** begins on page 10 of this paper.